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SENATOR CUDABACK: Senator Stuhr.

SENATOR SMITH: Senator Stuhr, you read some correspondence, and who was that letter from?

SENATOR CUDABACK: One minute.

SENATOR STUHR: It was from a citizen in Madison, Nebraska.

SENATOR SMITH: A nameless...was it an anonymous letter or...

SENATOR STUHR: No, I can give you the name, I, you know, if you...if you want it on the record.

SENATOR SMITH: Okay. Well, I was just curious why you chose that particular letter to read.

SENATOR STUHR: Because I thought it brought an interesting perspective in some of the reasons why we are discussing LB 126.

SENATOR SMITH: Okay. Thank you.

SENATOR STUHR: And if you would like me to repeat some of those reasons, I would be glad to. (Laughter)

SENATOR SMITH: Well, I very vividly recall some of those. And are they a constituent of a Class I school or a K-12 who will gain enrollment as a result of LB 126, or...okay. Thank you.

SENATOR FISCHER: (Microphone malfunction) Elaine, did you hear his question?

SENATOR STUHR: (Microphone malfunction) What? I'm sorry.

SENATOR SMITH: That is a concern to me that I think Senator Stuhr put...noted earlier that...

SENATOR CUDABACK: Time.

SENATOR SMITH: ...we have declining enrollments across the state and LB 126...